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Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Gallagher

FROM : J. S. Peelman

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 12/9/75

1 - Mr. Adams
1 - Mr. Gallagher
1 - Mr. O'Connell
1 - Mr. Peelman
1 - Mr. Lawn
1 - Mr. Moore
1 - Mr. Wannall

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This is the case involving the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr., in Memphis, Tennessee, in April, 1968.

On 12/8/75, this Bureau was advised that the Department was sending Departmental Attorneys Stephen Horn and Jerome Niedermeier to Calgary, Alberta, Canada, to interview an inmate at Calgary, C. H. Andrews, pertaining to captioned matter. A previous memorandum was prepared concerning Andrews dated 11/28/75, based upon an article which appeared in "The Washington Post," dated 11/28/75. This article indicated, in part, that C. H. Andrews could furnish pertinent information pertaining to the assassination of Martin Luther King. Jr.

On 12/9/75, Deputy Associate Director James B. Adams advised that Mr. Pottinger, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, interposed no objection to having a Special Agent of this Bureau accompany Departmental Attorneys Horn and Niedermeier during this interview of Andrews.

SAC, Denver, Theodore P. Rosack, was furnished the background data concerning Andrews and the identities of the Departmental attorneys. SA Rosack indicated that SA [redacted] Denver Division, would be briefed and would then immediately depart from Denver via Western Flight 480 to arrive at Calgary at 1:05 p.m., this date.

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This information was furnished to Section Chief Kolombatovic, Liaison Section, who forwarded this information to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

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Mr. Pottinger's Office advised Supervisor [redacted] that Departmental Attorneys Horn and Niedermeier had been advised that SA [redacted] would accompany them and that this information was also conveyed to the warden, Calgary Prison.

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ACTION: None. For information.

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